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Mrs. Hall's mother's funeral. Do you know the date of that?

MR. PFEIFFER: I don't know the date of it. Her death was six or eight years before Dr. Hall's death. That is only approximate. I can ascertain it.

MR. SIMPSON: Don't bother now.

Q Where do you live, Mrs. Edwards?

A On Easton Avenue.

Q And where is Easton Avenue with reference to Derussey's Lane? A. It is about 500 yards from there.

Q How long had you lived there on the 14th of September, 1922? A. About four years.

Q Did Raymond Schneider call at your house on September 16th about 10:30 in the morning?

A He did.

Q What did he do at your house?

A He called and asked if so mebody would telephone.

Q Did you telephone? A. I telephoned to the police.

Q What police did you telephone to?

A The New Brunswick police.

Q What happened after you telephoned?

A Officer Garrigan and Officer Curran came up.

Q And after they came up where did you go?

A We followed Mr. Stryker's car in our car.



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Q Did you get there about the time the police car did?

A They were leaving when we arrived.

Q And how long after they left there did you get there?

A About five minutes.

Q What did you see when you stopped your car and got out?

A Two bodies lying underneath the crab apple tree.

Q And can you locate the crab apple tree for us, whether it was near Phillips Lane?

A It was Derussey's Lane.

Q On the Phillips farm? A. On the lane.

Q Is there any designation for that?

A Phillips farm.

Q Now, what was the condition of these bodies?

A They were in perfect order.

Q Did you go over to the crab apple tree?

A Yes, sir.

Q What were the bodies lying there, two women or two men, or what were they? A. A man and a woman.

Q How were they lying? A. In perfect order.

Q On their backs or sides? A. On their backs.

Q How was their clothing?

A A scarf was over the woman's face and the panama hat was over the man's face.

Q And was the scarf completely wound around the woman's face, or only partially?



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A. You could just see her forehead.

Q Did you notice any papers or anything besides the bodies there? A. Beside Dr. Hall's body.

Q What did you notice beside Dr. Hall's body?

A A package of letters.

Q Where was that lying? A. Near him, in between the woman and him.

Q Did you see any card around there?

A No, sir; I did not.

Q Any visiting card? A. I did not notice.

Q Did you observe anybody in the presence of the bodies while you were there?

A Only Officer Garrigan.

Q How about Pearl Baimer, was she there?

A She came up with Mr. Stryker and myself.

Q Did she come up with Mr. Schneider to your house?

A Yes, sir.

Q You telephoned and then went up to the bodies. Did she go with you?

A She came with Mr. Stryker and myself.

Q Now, when you say the bodies were in perfect order, you mean the clothes were all properly arranged?

A Yes, sir.

Q How was the woman's dress, how was her skirt, tucked in on the sides, under her body, under her limbs?



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A. Down plain, was not wrinkled at all.

Q Smooth, as if it had been tucked under there?

A Yes, sir.

Q Were you present when the bodies were identified?

A No, sir.

MR. SIMPSON: That is all.

CROSS EXAMINATION BY MR. PFEIFFER:

Q You say that Raymond Schneider came to your house on Saturday, September 16th about half past ten in the morning?

A. Yes, sir.

Q At the time he came there was the girl Pearl Baimer with him?

A. Yes, she was with him.

MR. PFEIFFER: I think that is all.

M R.            E D W A R D            S T R Y K E R            duly sworn.

DIRECT EXAMINATION BY MR. SIMPSON:

Q On the 16th of September, 1922, where did you live?

A 584 Easton Avenue.

Q Is that anywhere near the crab apple tree in Derussey's lane?

A. Well, it is. I would call it in front of

the crab apple tree. Of course that is Easton Avenue, and Derussey's lane ~~extends~~ I should say is to the upper end of it.

Q How far are you from the crab apple tree, your house?